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RESPONSE TO INTERVIEW SUMMARY

In response to the Interview Summary of October 7, 2004, Applicant respectfully agrees with the substance as outlined by the Examiner. However, rather than filing a response to the Final Office Action, Applicant has filed a Request for Continued Examination.

The Applicant has amended claim 1 to include the subject matter of Claim 3 and to remove the subject matter which was previously added to Claim 1 in Applicant's response of January 12, 2004.

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We look forward to further communication on this application.

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